

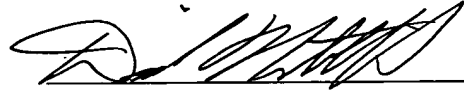
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the restriction requirement, the applicant has elected Species II. Claims 21-55 as currently pending read upon the elected species.

CONCLUSION

Please consider the indicated election and amend the application as indicated above. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

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